#### ARREST



**HBID ARREST NUMBER: 14-0971 DEFENDANT(S) NAME DOB** 

03/23/1971 Spears, Easton Damon

6801 Hollywood Blvd. #169 Hollywood, Ca. 90028 (323) 465-

ARREST CODE **DATE** 10/17/201 41.27 (c) LAMC-

(Drinking in Public)

Rosales, S. # 145 OFFICER: Gordon, K #132

TIME

1535

Hours

**OFFICER:** 

#### **SOURCE OF ACTIVITY:**

The above listed officer(s) were working as contracted, uniformed security officers for the Hollywood Business Improvement District (H.B.I.D.) / Andrews International 6801 Hollywood Boulevard Hollywood, CA, 90028 (323) 465-0122.

#### **INVESTIGATION:**

On the above listed date at approximately 1535 hours, My partner Gordon, K #132 and I Rosales, S #145 we were S/B in the 1700 block of Cahuenga Boulevard (Security bank Building). We observed 2 Male, Black Adults (Later identified both subjects Spears, Easton Damon DOB: 03/23/1971) and Baxter, Hassan Chikui, DOB: 12/20/75). Both subjects were sitting on the window ledge. Spears was holding a brown paper bag partially exposing a silver aluminum container in his right hand Baxter was sitting to the right of Spears.

Believing the container that Spears had in his hand was an alcoholic beverage, we maintained an observation of Spears activity from approximately 25 yards from his location. I observed Spears place the aluminum container in the brown paper bag to his mouth / lips, tilting his head back. Spears took a long drink from it. I then observed Spears hand the aluminum container that was in the brown paper to Baxter. Baxter then placed the aluminum container to his mouth/lips, tilting his back. Baxter took a long drink from it.

Believing that Spears and Baxter were drinking an alcoholic beverage in public, a violation of 41.27 (c) LAMC- (Drinking in Public), we decided to contact Spears and Baxter to verify if the container in the brown bag was in fact an alcoholic beverage that they were drinking. As we approached Spears and Baxter, Baxter

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was still holding the aluminum container. We observed the container to be a "211 High gravity malt liquor" brand beer 24 Fl. Oz. 8.1 % ALC/Vol.). The container was cold to the touch and approximately 1/4 full. We advised both Spears and Baxter that it is illegal to drink an alcoholic beverage in public. Spears stated, "Man you guys got me again, I can't drink in Hollywood anymore." Baxter made no statement.

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We advised Spears and Baxter that we were placing him under "Private Person's Arrest", as per 837 Penal Code – (Private Person's Arrest – Authority To Arrest / see-attached form) for 41.27 (c) Los Angeles Municipal Code – (Drinking in Public). Spears and Baxter were handcuffed (adjusted /double locked for safety and comfort) without incident. We escorted Spears and Baxter to our patrol vehicle, placed both in the rear passenger seat, and seat belted both in.

### **ADDITIONAL:**

Spears and Baxter have numerous contacts / arrests with this department and or B.I.D. Officers.

#### **CITE and RELEASE:**

We then escorted Spears and Baxter to Los Angeles Police Officer Ignacio confirmed Spears and Baxter's identification, via C.L.E.T.S. (California Law Enforcement Telecommunication) and N.C.I.C (National Crime Information Center) Systems. Spears and Baxter were subsequently issued a "Release From Custody" citation (RFC# E02325 /RFC# E02326) for the listed violation with the approval of the Watch Commander / Lt. Ling and was ordered to appear at the Metropolitan Court House, 1945 South Hill Street, Los Angeles, California 90007, on 11/25/2014, at 0830 Hours.

#### **EVIDENCE:**

The "211 High Gravity Reserve" was disposed of by myself.

## PICTURE(S):

None.

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# INJURY AND MEDICAL TREATMENT:

None reported or observed at the time of contact/arrest.